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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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"HE principal doctrine of the Republican party is a theory of protection to American industries, and this doctrine has been grafted into the statutes of our country. It is responsible for the unequal distribution of wealth that has come to be such a menace to government by the people, and is largely the cause of the high cost of living. And yet, strange to say, there is no teonstitutional authority for the levying of a tax or import-duties for any such purpose. Section 8 of article I of the Constitution says "The Copgress of the United States shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general in that State, the Golden Rule is welfare of the United States," but receiving a practical exemplificanowhere does it say or infer that tion. Peter Schofield of Hutchin-Congress may levy import duties on any article for the purpose of tice: "The Lord has spared my favoring or protecting some private stock. My horses have gone industry or industries. All such through the epidemic without loss. duties must be levied "to pay the I have twenty head of horses to debts, provide for the common defense and general welfare" of gov-

thorized to levy taxes, duties, to levy a single dollar of tax to maintain, establish or encourage any private business at the expense of the people. Yet that is what he Republican doctrine of protection, enacted into laws contrary to the constitutional provision for raising revenue, does, and it is an open boast of the Republican party that that is what the protective tariff duties are levied for; it even goes further, and declares that these duties should be high enough to insure the favored ones "a reasonable profit" in the conduct of their business. Does it insure a the farmer, the laborer, in his business or occupation!

The tariff, or import duties, is one of the means by which the government may raise revenue, and as with it an incidental protection to some industry manufacturing the is consistent with the government's needs. That is a tariff for revenue 1817 when he bought the farm on only-not for protection. To place a protective tariff on any article so high that it discourages or He leaves an aged wife and two prohibits importation, deprives government of the 'revenue which his death. it would derive from the importation of such article under a low or

revenue tariff, and gives the home manufacturers of this article au opportunity to combine, form a trust and place arbitrary prices on their product far in excess of the cost of production and "a reasonable profit." It not only robs the government of revenue, but it robs the people by permitting the trust to exact tribute of them in the shape of excessive prices for what they must buy. It takes your hardearned money—the money that by

But if you want a change from yet do so at once. such conditions, if is offered you. The intrinsic worth of such enter-by the Democratic party, which is tainments, to every community is The Democratic party proposes a lovely and the holy. remedy and pledges itself to apply development of character through that remedy if given an opportun- our sense of appreciation of these ity. It is a common sense, pro- higher and better things. And third, gressive remedy, based on a theory it acquaints us, and especially the of "equal and exact justice to all young, with what is possible to the and special privileges to none." We know that that is a threadbare axiom which like the Golden Rule which is undoubtedly beyond the is quoted oftener than it is practiced, but like the latter it is worth of the mediocrity class. putting into practice in our government. The Democratic party entertainments speaks well for the promises to make a practical ap- character and cultivated tase of the plication of it. Are you willing to Farmington people. help it with your vote!

In Kansas where farmers lost so beavily in the recent horse epidemic son has posted the following noloan to my less fortunate neighbors, without charge, for plowing. Those who need are welcome to In other words, Congress is only them." This commendable spirit cone for the maintenance of the in Kansas to those who have sus government. It has no authority tained losses. And yet some pesimists declare the world is growing

> One thing the tarmers need to not fail to be at the polls on November 5th and vote against it. If farmers of this State should show year. Two or three stay-at-hom voters in each precinct might cose them a good deal.

Senator Ollie James says "Presireasonable profit to the merchant, dent Taft is the only President in some one there to meet Democrats the tide of this great Republic that and take their names for enrollment clothes to the shivering poor."

Christopher Betten, an old citizen article upon which the duty is im- to this country sometime in the 50's posed, it should be made as low as and came direct to Mine LaMotte, where he worked as a miner until which he died and where he engaged in farming until he was too leeble to do the active duties of the farm. sons and four daughters to mourn

The gate and other receipts of the Wayne County Fair amounted to \$2,278.99.

Democratic Speaking Dates.

The Democratic county candidates will meet the voters at the following places on the dates named:

princes on the direct			-	
Chadbourne	Oct	.114.	1:30	p. n
Blackwell	**	14,	7:30	
Iron Monntain	.14	15,	1:30	466
Bismarck	44	15.	7:30	8.6
Knob Lick	**	16,	7:30	3.7
Rockwood	300	17.	1:30	196
Libertyville	33	17,	7:30	44
Doe Run	**	18.	7:30	1.4
Elvins	100	19,	7:30	184
Farmington	4.6	21,	1:30	44
Flat River	**	21.	7:30	188
Cantwell	166	99,	1:30	14.1
Desloge	14	1913	7:30	4.6
French Village	3.6	21,	1:30	44
Hazel Run	1440	23,	7:30	34
Frankelay	4.4	24.	7:30	**
Leadwood.	9.4	25,	7:30	188
Esther	77.9	26,		14.4
East Bonne Terre	18		7:30	-61
Cedar Falls	200	29,	1:30	384
Bonne Terre	4.6	289.	7:30	111

FIRST SELECTION OF SEATS

FOR THE LYCEUM COURSE The first selection of seats for the right should go to make your own Lyceum Course will be made at business more prosperous, for the Famous next Wednesday morning, support of your family and making Oct. 16, commencing at 8 o'clock. your home more comfortable—out Bring your season tickets and be on of your pockets and puts it into allowed to reserve more than six the pockets of the government-fa- tickets at one time. More tickets vored few. If you are wedded to have already been sold than last this sort of thing, you can perpet. year and this season's course will uate it by voting the Republican be even a greater success. Six high grade entertainments for \$2.50. If you have not proqured your tickets

pledged to lower the tariff, to en inestimable. It does in a suppleforce the crimininal law against mental way what the church and state and school are endeavoring to trusts, and to institute other re- do so. It lifts urgent, careworn huforms that promise relief. But manity above the depressions of the says some Doubting Thomas, how treadmill where society, business do we know it would be any better and pleasure-seeking meet to work under a Democratic administration and worry out life's existence, to that higher plane where our aesthetic of the government? Well, you and spiritual natures may be fed, know it ... uldn't be any wore, and rejuvenated and regenerated while any change must be for the better, thinking of the true, the pure, the

paintaking, self-sacrificing and ever faithful aspirant, who is willing to pay the price to accomplish that reach of the self-satisfied member

The large attendance and response which is accorded these high class

DEMOCRATIC WORKING CLUB ORGANIZED IN FARMINGTON.

About eighty Democrats met at the Court House last Friday night an organized a club to be known as the Wilson and Major Democratic Campaign Working Club. The meeting was called to order by B. H. Marbury and its purposes explained. The following officers were then elected: T. C. Young, Chairman.

J. A. Lawrence, Vice Chairman. Fred Nachschaen, Secretary-Treasurer.

of neighborly love is also being liams, J. S. Clay, Jerry B. Burks, imposts and excises to raise rev. shown by other fortunate farmers R. A. Swink, George Morris and L. F. Castleman.

Addresses were made by Jerry B Burks, Democratic presidential elector of this congressional district, and B. H. Marbury. A feeling of earnestness and determination to pervaded the meeting, and good keep in mind this campaign is, work may be expected during the that if they don't want the single campaign by this club. The club tax amendment to carry they must will meet every Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Court House, and all Democrats are cordially invited to attend these meetings, enroll their there ever was a time when the names as members, and lend their moral support to the efforts to place their strength at the polls it is this St. Francois county once more in in the list of Democratic counties of the State.

The sample room of the St. Francois Hotel has been leased during the campaign for the club's headquarters, and there will always be ever vetoed a bill that cheapened on the club list or to receive any assistance they may wish to extend.

There are legimate expenses to be met, such as arranging for speakers, of Madison county, died on the 27th sending out literature, getting out every import duty naturally carries uit. The Fredericktown Tribune notices of dates and names of speaksays he was born in Germany in ers, etc., and any contributions to March, 1830, where he was reared the fund for this purpose will be apand where he married. He moved preciated. In fact every Democrat who feels an interest in the success of his party ought to cheerfully con-tribute what he can afford to give. Contributions may be handed to or sent by letter to Fred Nachschaen, Secretary-Treasurer of the club, hox 347, Farmington, Mo, or handed in at the club meetings on Friday even-

Come, Democrats, let us put forth a determined and united effort to carry this county and congressional district, and thus contribute to the National and State victory of Democracy, the prospects of which are so bright.

Wilson Stands For a Principle— Will You Stand By Him?

Woodrow Wilson is a vastly different order of man than you find among the ranks of many good men in practical political life.

Woodrow Wilson is not among the great majority of politicians and business men, otherwise estimable characters, who believe that the end justifies the means, who are honest in a commercial or political sense. The candidate of the progressive voters of the country not only does not believe in the doctrine of

but he insists on plain old fashioned honesty in every detail of his campaign. oodrow Wilson proposes to win on the merits of his candidacy and platform or not at all. 'Clean hands or no fight" is Wilson's ultimatum to his supporters throughout the country.

Not a dollar of questionable money will be spent to elect Woodrow Wilson.

The Democratic National Committee is heart and soul in accord with the candidate's views.

And the corrupting influences, with no political faith, casting about to win a foothold in the new government with bribes of ill-gotten gains, have despaired of reaching Wilson or his campaigners.

They have gone to the enemy, whoever that enemy may be. It is a matter of common knowledge that the "Interests" are using all their political funds to defeat Wilson.

This makes it your fight. What the American People Need to Know

The people have constantly made the mistake of believing that this is a money-ridden nation. Such is only the case insofar as the People fail to get together and so permit the few to control the dishonest representatives they, by mistake, elect to office.

The actual money power of the People is still greater than that of the Interests. The Progressive People of the country, if they get together, can buy and sell the Corrupting Influences

destroy their financial power.

So Woodrow Wilson and his managers believe that not only is it the only clean method but the most practical method for the Progressive People of the country to supply the Woodrow Wilson Campaign Fund.

The People to Fight With THEIR Dollars

This year a popular president is to be elected with the People's money. The Woodrow Wilson Campaign Fund is to be collected from the rank and file of the Progressive Voters the country

The bills of the Democratic National Committee are to be paid, not with the thousands of the Interests, but with the individual dollars of the earnest, eager voters who desire clean, efficient government and who are willing to help Wilson as he wants to be helped.

Money thus needed is not spent in improper ways or in any manner similar to the way in which the funds of the

Interests are disbursed.

But we have to tell the voters of the country about Woodrow Wilson. We have to tell them what he has done. We have to tell them what he stands for. We have to point out to them the important planks in his platform. All this means that to hold up our end we will be obliged to spend as much money as those who oppose us.

This means that every man or woman who believes in Wilson should be willing to contribute to his cause. Let the supporters of Wilson help us to spread the Wilson gospel to the four winds.

Let the Progressive Voters battle this year with their pocketbooks as well as their ballots. Interests are disbursed

We Solicit Popular Subscriptions—Can You Give From \$1 to \$20?

Of course, you can—and you are glad to support the cause in this way.

Practically every voter can afford to give \$1 to aid the Wilson Campaign. A great many can give \$2. A great many can give \$5. And there are lots and lots of progressive voters who will be eager to donate from \$10 to \$20.

These are the kind of contributions we want.

And we will be proud to receive from thousands, who can only afford \$1, their \$1 contributions. We want to hear from every man who has a dollar to give.

This year the man with the dollar must defeat the government traducer who spends his thousands.

Get Club Subscriptions

If you know many Wilson men, if you work among many Wilson men, head a list with your name and money and get the others to join you with their subscriptions.

Then send your list with the money to C. R. Crane, Vice Chairman, Finance Committee, Democratic National Committee, 900 Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

No loyal Wilson man can do more than this to assure Wilson's victory at the polls in November.

How to Contribute to the Wilson

Campaign Fund .

Sign the Coupon opposite and fill in the amount you give. Then attach your money to this Coupon and mail today to the address given on the Coupon.

Issue all checks, menor orders and address all contributions of R. Crase, Vice Chairman, Finance Committee, Democratic ational Committee, 900 Michigas Avanus, Chicago, III.

Then write a letter to this paper giving your name as a contributor and stating your reasons why you believe Woodrow Wilson should be elected President of the United States. In this way you will be listed as a Wilson contributor. A Souvenir Receipt, handsomely lithographed well worth framing, will be sent to you Your letter will help in the fight by encouraging your friends.

Do everything you can to hold up Wilson's hands in his clean campaign for the people who do the work and fighting of the country.

Woodrow Wilson Campaign Fund LOYALTY COUPON

Name	******	 	
Address	****	 	**** ******
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Business College Notes.

Our ex-graduates visiting the Coilege this week are Miss Mabelle Democratic National Committee, Brown and Edward Revoir, both having excellent stenographic positions in St. Louis.

The Cornwall Copper Company of one of our DeSoto graduates.

of Rural Route 2, Farmington.

An Executive Committee was apmeeting of the Moothart College vote. If we poll the full party pointed composed of the following Teachers' Association, to be held in strength defeat is impossible. Noth-

Our night school in Flat River starts Wednesday evening, Oct. 16. Teachers in charge, G. W. Moothart, Maurice Westover and Miss

John C. McKinley voted

Against Anti-Trust Law. John C. McKinley the Republican nominee for Governor, was the only member of the Missouri State Senate who voted against the anti-trust law passed by that body in 1903. (See Senate Journal 1903, page 650.) The bill was a substitute for Senate Bill 188, and was entitled "An act to prevent conspiracies, or the creation of monopolies for the purpose of keeping up the prices of coal, food products, lighting or fuel oil, or other necessaries of life, or creating artificial scarcity of such articles or necessaries.'

This bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Ayes 28, Nay 1, absent 5. On that bill McKinley was the only member of the Senate who voted Nay.

Every other Republican in the State Senate, and every Democrat, present on that day, voted for this ernor of this State! In heaven's name, why? What would such a man do in the office of Governor? The people of Missouri want a Governor who will fight against the trust and not for them.

The proposition to bond the city of Cape Girardeau for \$25,000 for a municipal light and water plant was defeated at a special election on the

SENATOR T. P. GORE WR.TES

ENCOURAGINGLY OF SUCCESS Fifth Avenue Building, New York, Sept. 30.

Editor Times: 1 write to reassure you that the prospects of Democratic triumph were never brighter. The Ste. Genevieve county called for a morale of the Democratic army was young man bookkeeper and stenog- never better. A united Democracy rapher last week, and we sent them and a divided opposition renders success doubly certain. The pres-New students enrolling this week sent situation leaves little to be are Robert McClaffin of Lawerence- wished for. The recent elections in ville, Ill., and Miss Lena Thurman Vermont and Maine prove that the Democrats are voting under the All the Moothart Colleges will unit rule this year. They prove dismiss school Friday of this week more than that. They show a subso that the teachers can attend a stantial increase in the Democratic named persons: George K. Wil- Cape Girardeau Friday and Satur- ing could possibly defeat us but chiefest enemy-in politics. must, therefore, take nothing for granted. We must perfect and maintain a thorough organization The campaign must be vigorous, must be unremitting till the battle's over, till the victory's won.

No single agency can contribute more to Democratic triumph than the Democratic press. No agency can do more to see that every Democrat voter and votes the Democratic ticket. We are relying upon your constant and invaluable assistance. Democracy expects every Democrat to do his duty this year.

While victory is inevitable if all Democrats do their duty, still the door of Democracy stands wide open this year. Above that door is emblazoned the word "Welcome" and that welcome is tendered to all independent voters. The spirit of our campaign is reflected in the following resolution which was unanimously adopted by the Democratic National Committee at Chicago or July 15th, last:

"We congratulate the country and the Democracy upon the exceptional prospects of Democratic success in November next. We rejoice that all

"We earnestly invite all voters, without reference to previous political faith or affiliation who are in sympathy with such platform and nominet, to unite permanently or co-operate temporarily with the Democratic party in this supreme struggle for establishment of justice and equal rights as against favoritism and privilege. Resolved, That we gratefully ac-

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knowledge our profound appreciation of the courageous, disinterested and patriotic course of many Repubbill. McKinley alone stood forth against it. And now he asks the and enthusiastic in support of the ers and editors, in declaring their intention to support the Democratic ticket in the pending Presidential contest."

I should be indebted to you if you would send me a list of liberal minded Republicans friendly to Gov. Wilson, and if you would publish this request: That such Republicans forward a card either to myself or to Hon. Endebt. self or to Hon. Rudolph Spreckles, Chicago, Ill.
With best wishes for a united and triumphant Democracy, I am yours

T. P. GORE. Chairman Organization Bureau.

